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TO AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO

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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, UY, US

SUBJECT: MILITARY SALES

REF: STATE 066475

1. IN TWO LETTERS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE DATED NOVEMBER 13, 1972, THE AIR ATTACHE OF URUGUAY EMBASSY HERE REQUESTED THAT FY71 FOREIGN MILITARY SALES CREDIT BE USED FOR C-47 AIRCRAFT SPARE PARTS, AND THAT FY72 FMS CREDIT BE USED FOR FLIGHT JACKETS AND COVERALLS.

2. ON NOVEMBER 30, 1972, THE DEPARTMENT DISAPPROVED THIS REQUEST BECAUSE OF USG POLICY NOT TO PROVIDE FMS CREDIT FOR CONSUMABLES OR SPARE PARTS WHICH HAVE A UTILITY EXPECTANCY OF LESS THAN THE PROJECTED PERIOD OF THE CREDIT, EIGHT YEARS.

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3. ON APRIL 9 AMBASSADOR LUISI VISITED DEPARTMENT AND REQUESTED THAT WE REEXAMINE THE REQUEST. WE SAID THAT WE WOULD, BUT EXPLAINED OUR POLICY ON CONSUMABLES AND SPARE PARTS, AND ASKED HIM TO INFORM THE GOU THAT IF A RENEWED REQUEST WERE TO BE MADE, IT SHOULD BE THROUGH OUR EMBASSY IN MONTEVIDEO.

4. IF GOU RAISES THIS MATTER WITH EMBASSY, YOU MAY REITERATE POLICY. IN VIEW OF OUR EARLIER DECISION ON FIELD JACKETS WE ARE WILLING TO APPROVE THE RELATIVELY SMALL ADDITIONAL AMOUNT FOR FLYING JACKETS AS WELL. WE MIY AGAINST ISRAEL.

JACOVIDES (CYPRUS) TOLD BENNETT SC RES SUITED CYPRIOT NEEDS ADMIRABLY, WITHOUT CYPRUS HAVING TO GET INTO MATTER, AND REFERENCE IN DEBATE TO NICOSIA INCIDENT HAD BEEN USEFUL TO GOC. HE ACKNOWLEDGED CYPRUS STRADDLED TERRORISM ISSUE AT 27 TH GA BECAUSE OF DESIRE NOT GET OUT OF STEP WITH NON- ALIGNEDS. BENNETT COMMENTED TENDENCY OF NON- ALIGNED TO VOTE TOGETHER WITHOUT REGARD FOR SUBSTANCE OF SPECIFIC ITEM WAS UNPROMISING DEVELOPMENT AND NOT LIKELY ENHANCE UN' S REPUTATION AS SERIOUS BODY. JACOVIDES BELIEVED DRIVE FOR SOLIDARITY COULD BE KEPT REASONABLY UNDER CONTROL BECAUSE OF BASIC DIFFERENCES AMONG NON- ALIGNED. HE ADMITTED ARABS LED AFRICANS AROUND BY NOSE ON TERRORISM ISSUE AT 27 TH GA, AND HE THOUGHT LATEST SC RES WOULD BE USEFUL AT STARTING POINT FOR FUTURE EFFORTS ON TERRORISM AND HELPFUL TO NEW AD HOC COMITE. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN' S 1547, 1549)

FORTHCOMING SC MEETING ON ME --

UN CORRIDORS RIFE WITH RUMORS PROPOSAL BE MADE TO HOLD UPCOMING ME DEBATE IN GENEVA OR VIENNA. REUTERS CHIEF SAID HIS APRIL 24 STORY BASED ON INDIAN REP' S DOUBTS VOICED IN SC THAT NY APPROPRIATE PLACE FOR ME DEBATE. NO OFFICIAL APPROACH MADE TO SYG OR OTHER SC MEMBERS, AND USUN BELIEVES NON- ALIGNED SPREADING RUMOR AS TRIAL BALLOON.
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WDC SPECIAL COMITE --

SECRETARIAT SOURCE ESTIMATED AT LEAST 16 OF 31 WDC SPECIAL COMITE MEMBERS WOULD SUPPORT MOTION TO IMMEDIATELY ADJOURN APRIL 26 MEETING INTO INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS. SOURCE SUGGESTEE COMITE SHOULD BE DONE BY CONSENSUS STATEMENT WHILE SYG' S REP STILL IN CHAIR, AND REPORTEDLY USYG SHEVCHENKO AGREED WITH ANALYSIS BUT STOPPED SHORT OF BUYING IDEA OF ADJOURNMENT BY CONSENSUS. SOURCE EXPECTED PASTINEN TO CHAIR MEETING IN

SYG'S BEHALF. MAJOR UNKNOWN IS TACTICAL LINE SOVIETS
WILL ADOPT.
WEO INVITEES, INCLUDING SPAIN AND SWEDEN, AGREED WORK TOWARD
BLOCKING ANY SUBSTANTIVE DECISION, AND BELGIUM IS TO URGE
PASTINEN ANNOUNCE CONSENSUS FOR IMMEDIATE ADJOURNMENT
AND INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS. CANADIANS REPORTED ROMANIA,
YUGOSLAVIA AND ZAMBIA NOW FAVOR CONVERTING APRIL 26 MEETING
INTO INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS. BELGIANS DISCLOSED UN LEGAL
COUNSEL STAVROPOULOS ARGUED IMMEDIATE ADJOURNMENT CONTRARY
TO UN PROCEDURES AND WOULD SET BAD PRECEDENT. USUN UNDERSTANDS
ASIAN INVITEES DISCUSSED TACTICS APRIL 23, INDIANS RGUED COMITE
MEMBERS SHOULD CONSULT INFORMALLY APRIL 25 AND MEET FORMALLY AS
SCHEDULED APRIL 26, BUT INDONESIA AND JAPAN OPPOSED IDEA.
(CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN'S 1538)

CYPRUS PEACEKEEPING --

JACOVIDES (CYPRUS ASKED ABOUT ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS ON CYPRUS
PEACEKEEPING LIKELY AFFECT JUNE SC MEETING. AFTER BENNETT
COMMENTED ON INTEREST OF VARIOUS CONTRIBUTORES IN TAKING
HARD LOOK AT UNFICYP WITH VIEW TO MAKING IT MORE EFFICIENT AND
ECONOMICAL, JACOVIDES SAID GOC WOULD NOT OBJECT TO SEARCHING
LOOK AT SIZE AND COMPOSITION OR TO REDUCTION IF STUDY INDICATED
ITS DESIRABILITY, BUT HE DID NOT FAVOR TERMINATING FORCE AT THIS
STAGE. HE HOPED THERE WOULD BE MORE PROGRESS IN INTERCOMMUNAL
TALKS IN LATTER HALF OF YEAR, MADE LIGHT OF BISHOPS'
CAMPAIGN AGAINST ARCHBISHOP, INDICATED SOME CONCERN OVER GRIVAS'
ACTIVITIES, AND EXPRESSED VIEW GRIVAS NOT AGENT OF GREEK GOVT
BUT MUST BE RESPONSIVE IN SOME WAY TO GOG PRESSURE.
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AD HOC COMITE ON TERRORISM --

UN CIRCULATED (A/8993) TEXT OF APRIL 20 LETTER FROM GA
PRES TREPCZYNSKI TO SYG STATING THAT AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH
REGIONAL GROUPS HE APPOINTED FOLLOWING TO AD HOC COMITE ON
TERRORISM:
ALGERIA, AUSTRIA, BARBADOS, CANADA, CONGO, CZECHOSLOVAKIA,
DEMOCRATIC YEMEN, FRANCE, GREECE, GUINEA, HAITI, HUNGARY,
INDIA, IRAN, ITALY, JAPAN, MAURITANIA, NICARAGUA, NIGERIA, PANAMA,
SWEDEN, SYRIA, TUNISIA, TURKEY, UKRAINE, USSR, UK, TANZANIA, US,
URUGUAY, VENEZUELA, YEMEN, YUGOSLAVIA, ZAIRE AND ZAMBIA.
HE WROTE HE WAS CONVINCED SYG WOULD RENDER ALL NECESSARY
ASSISTANCE SO COMITE MAY START WORK. AT PRESS BRIEFING, UN
SPOKESMAN
SAID NO DATE YET SET FOR FIRST MEETING.

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